

PART 914—SEALED BIDDING

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[This part implements and supplements FAR Part 14 for Department of Energy \(DOE\) and National Nuclear Security Administration \(NNSA\) acquisitions. All FAR references in this part are to be read as implemented through the DOE and NNSA class deviations that implemented the Revolutionary FAR Overhaul at DOE and NNSA.](#)

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914.404 Rejection of bids.

914.404-1 Cancellation of invitations after opening.

(c) The ~~authority to make the determinations at FAR 14.305(b) and (d) is delegated to the Senior Procurement Executives (SPE). The SPEs have been delegated authority to make the determination under 48 CFR 14.404-1(c) and (e) and has~~ve re delegated this authority to the Heads of Contracting Activities (HCA), without power of redelegation.

914.407 Mistakes in bids.

914.407-3 Other mistakes disclosed before award.

(e) Pursuant to ~~FAR 14.304-3(e)48 CFR 14.407-3(e)~~, the ~~Senior Procurement Executives Secretary has have been~~ delegated the authority to the SPEs by the Secretary to make the determinations under ~~FAR 14.304-348 CFR 14.407-3. In the case of~~For mistakes in bids alleged after opening of bids and before award, the ~~Senior Procurement Executives SPEs~~ have re delegated this authority to the ~~Heads of Contracting Activities HCAs~~, without power of redelegation. ~~and to~~This includes the authority to make administrative determinations regarding withdrawal of bids ~~as provided for in~~pursuant to ~~FAR 14.304-348 CFR 14.407-3~~, provided ~~ed~~ing that each ~~such~~ determination shall be approved by Legal Counsel.

914.407-4 Mistakes after award.

The ~~Senior Procurement Executives have been delegated~~ authority to make the determinations under ~~FAR 14.401(b) is delegated to the SPEs48 CFR 14.407-4. Contracting officers are to submit determinations to rescind, reform, or make no change to the contract. Mistakes in bids after award, together along with the information identified data set forth in FAR 14.40148 CFR 14.407-4(e).~~, shall be submitted to the appropriate Senior Procurement Executive ~~SPE~~ for decision.

914.409-2 Award of classified contracts.

DOE regulations regarding the safeguarding of restricted data and procedures for its destruction are contained at 10 CFR part 1016.

Subpart 914.5—~~Two-Step Sealed Bidding~~ ~~[Reserved]~~

914.502 ~~Conditions for use.~~~~[Reserved]~~

~~(c) Use of the two-step sealed bidding method shall be approved by the Head of the Contracting Activity. The contracting officer shall submit a written request for approval justifying its use in accordance with 48 CFR 14.502.~~